

# ALEXANDRIA.

THURSDAY EVENING, FEBRUARY 27.

In accordance with the decision reached by the National Democratic Committee, which assembled at Washington on the 22d instant, a call has been issued inviting the delegates appointed from all the States to meet in the city of New York on the 4th of July next, for the purpose of nominating candidates for President and Vice President of the U.S. The basis of representation, as fixed by the last National Democratic Convention, is double the number of Senators and Representatives in Congress of each State under the last apportionment. Each state is invited to send delegates accordingly.

Mr. Coburn introduced in the House of Representatives on Tuesday, a bill providing that hereafter all votes given at any election for any member of the House of Representatives, for any person as a candidate for such offices who is known by such voters at the time of voting to be ineligible, shall be void, and shall not be counted.

There are fifty-three Senators. Of these there are 42 Radicals and 11 Conservatives. "Twothirds of the members present," in the lan guage of the Constitution, are necessary to conviction in cases of impeachment, and should all the Senators sit during the trial, thirty-six will be the number required to convict.

The Richmond correspondent of the New York Herald writes that "there is a sharp contest among the Radical file leaders now in Richmond, in relation to the next Governorship. Hawxhurst, Wells, and Judge Rives are those mentioned in connexion with the nomination."

The telegraphic wires convey daily to the President and to the Radicals of Congress messages from different sections of the country, North and West, promising "aid and comfort," South is out of this "muss," entirely.

Sumner's message to Stanton to "stick," has raised a roar of laughter all over the country! It is so ludicrously suggestive of the past, and so characteristic of the present, that it is impossible to refrain from enjoying the joke. Stanton sticks, as yet.

It is said that the committee of seven were busy yesterday seeking charges against the President. Gen. Emory was examined to find out if the President had sought to use the garrison of Washington to eject Stanton!

The "Names" have come! It was Mr. Selye and Mr. Van Wyck, of New York, who voted to impeach the President for high crimes, and the same evening attended his Levee, and paid their "respects" to him at the Presiden-

The telegraph announces Democratic gains in several recent town elections in Illinois, Pennsylvania, and New York. The Democratie gain in Cairo is four hundred.

The Washington Chronicle heads an editorial article with-"The people Watch and Pray." Some of them do-and some of them

It is said that the President yesterday sent to the Senate military nominations without recognizing any Sccretary of War.

The political condition of affairs in Washington has not much effected the "gold market."

Leonard Scott & Co., New York, have republished the January number of the London Quarterly Review. The contents are:-Sir Walter Scott; the Queen in the Highlands; private confession in the Church of England; Guizot's memoirs; the British Museum; Longevity; Phoenicia and Greece; Church progress; Ireland. It will be seen that the subjects are all interesting.

REGULATIONS FOR LENT.—Bishop McGill present Lent for the Catholics of this Diocese:

2. Every day in Lent, Sundays excepted, is a fast day of obligation, binding upon all not soil. lawfully dispensed. By law, only one full T meal, to be taken after mid-day, is allowed .--Custom allows a cup of warm drink, and a small portion of bread, in the morning, and a collation in the evening not to exceed the fourth part of an ordinary meal.

3. Being under twenty-one years of age, old age, infirmity of health, pregnancy, the nursing of children at the breast, and hard labor, are good causes of dispensation from the

4. The law of the fast includes abstinence from flesh meat, except as far as such food may

be allowed by dispensation. 5. By dispensation, flesh meat is allowed at

all meals on Sundays, and at one meal on Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays, except the second, or Saturday of Ember week, and the last, or vigil of Easter. 6. Flesh meat being excluded, if the custo-

mary proportion be not exceeded, it is permitted, in this diocese, to use at the collation the other articles of food, such as fruit, butter, cheese, eggs and fish.

7. It is permitted to use hog's lard, instead of butter, in the preparation of food on fast

days.

8. Meat and fish are not to be used at the

can only use meat at one meal, when meat is allowed by the rules, unless they have, for cause, been exempted both from fast and ab-

of reason, are required by the Church to make confession of their sins at least once a year, and, when approved for Communion, are bound

NEWS OF THE DAY.

"To show the very age and body of the Times."

A letter from Fort Berthold, dated January 16, says that two weeks previous the most severe snowstorm had prevailed that had been known in that region in ten years. At Fort Stevenson the troops had been obliged to burn the warehouse and all their lumber to prevent them from freezing. The cattle and mules were buried in the snow, and large numbers have been frozen to death. The Indians in the neighborhood of Fort Berthold were in a starying condition, being obliged to eat their horses to sustain life.

The latest advices from Mexico are via Havana. An order has been issued by the Government to extinguish the national debt by auction sales of confiscated property. President Juarez has been permitted six months leave of absence to visit Washington. Canales, Carvajal and Quiroga are in Northern Mexico in arms against the Government. It was feared that these revolutionary Chiefs would seize the silver conducta expected at Matamoras from Monterey.

A very slight change in the value of existing gold pieces will enable America, England and France to adopt a uniform money system in him. Do they differ much from your people? which five francs will make a dollars, and five dollars a pound sterling. The American five dollar piece will then pass all over the world either as five dollar, or as a pound sterling, or as twenty-five francs, and will be legal tender as such in England, France, and all other countries which fall in with the new system.

Nearly all the shoe manufacturing towns in Massachusetts are doing a fair business just now, though the wages paid to workmen are lower than usual. There is an unusual demand at Lynn for serge goods, and buyers take has paid out \$63,000 for grain; a like ratio to the end of the year would give about \$200,000, former years. Large sales of brogans have but say \$140,000. The grain sold to others lately been made.

Gen. George A. McCall died yesterday at West Chester, Pa., and will be interred at Christ Church, Philadelphia, on Saturday .-The deceased served in the Mexican war, and organized and commanded the Pennsylvania reserves during the Peninsula campaign, and and from the Middleburg and Paris country, was captured before Richmond.

The Georgia Convention adopted yesterday the Bill of Rights. It exempts from execution for debt all homesteads not exceeding ten thousand dollars in value, and personal property to the value of a thousand dollars in specie. It is proposed to remove the State Capital from Milledgeville to Atlanta.

The latest advices from Brazil represent that the war in Paraguay drags along in a very unsatisfactory manner. The Brazilian Government is buying negroes, and offering them their freedom on condition that they enter the army. Cholera was raging fearfully in Buenos Ayres, and in the interior.

The latest use to which paper has been put long hesitate? is its substitution for leather and vulcanized to each party respectively. Fortunately the rubber in belts for driving machinery. The new belt consist of layers of paper, cemented together in such a manner as to be little affected by moisture or heat at ordinary tempera-

Judge Shackleford, of the Supreme Court of Tennessee, has sent in his resignation to the Secretary of State, to take effect on the 20th states that his resignation is occasioned by the pressure of long neglected private affairs.

Some two weeks ago the postoffice at Coumbus, Indiana, was entered and robbed of a large number of letters. Two boys, named George Duty and Calvin Harry, aged respective sixteen and nineteen years, have been arrested for the crime, and have confessed. It is said that immediately after the dis-

charge of Gen. Thomas, a suit was commenced in the District Court by him against Mr. Stanton for false imprisonment and mischievous prosecution. Damages laid at one hundred

Yesterday Capt. F. J. Tucker, one of the projectors of a military organization in New York, for the support of President Johnson, was arrested by the police, but released on his parole to answer a charge that may be preferred against him.

Wm. Hannah, of Camden, New Jersey, the son of an ex-postmaster, was arrested on Saturday, charged with the forgery of innumerable bonds, mortgages, notes, checks, stock certificates, &c., amounting in value to some \$100,-000 to \$150,000.

In New York prices of dry goods have steadily advanced ever since the first opening of lion. Rev. Newman Hall presented, with trade at the commencement of the year, and ability, the American side of the Alabama there was more excitement among buyers during the past week than at any time within the carnestness and eloquence which carried the

It is stated that Mr. J. H. Barrett, Commissioner of Pensions, tendered his resignation resterday, to take effect at an early day. Mr. Barrett has accepted the chief editorship of the Cincinnati Evening Chronicle.

Stanton continued in quiet possession of the War Department yesterday, visited as usual by large numbers of his friends. His requisitions on the Treasury Department are still re-

The London Telegraph suggests the introhas established the following regulations of the duction of the manufacture of beet-root sugar into Ireland in order to create a new industry and to promote the profitable cultivation of the

> The reports of poverty in London are terrible. Numerous Committees are at work relieving distress in that city, besides the regular officers of the poor law board.

> The Spanish government has invited tenders for the construction of a submarine cable from Spain to Porto Rico and Cuba, with an extension to Panama and Nicaragua.

> The Fenians in San Francisco are said to contemplate making a raid on British Columbia. Precautionary measures have been taken at Victoria to counteract.

> The foundation of the stone bridge to cross the Mississippi at St. Louis was laid yesterday, in the presence of a large number of citizens.

The California Legislature has adopted resolutions approving the action of President Johnson and censuring Congress.

THE PRESIDENT.—A committee appointed at a recent meeting in Baltimore to present certain resolutions there adopted, relative to the rights of naturalized citizens abroad, yesterday visited the Executive Mansion, and presented the resolutions to the President. The sale of the lands, tenements and water privile-Chairman of the committee made an address ges at Harper's Ferry was taken up, and an ter should receive the attention of all con-9. Persons who are dispensed from the obligation to fast for some lawful cause, are not therefore dispensed from the abstinence, and trusted in him to stand firm, and continue his colleges, and that other portions now occupied efforts to uphold and defend the Constitution and the laws.

In reply, the President, after expressing his hearty sympathy in the resolutions, and promis-10. All Catholics, who have attained the use | ing to do all in his power to have the same observed, spoke of the present difficulties, assuring the committee that he would not swerve from the path of duty, and would do to receive the Holy Eucharist during the Pas- all in his power to maintain the supremacy of chal time, a period, which, for this country, the law and defend the C onstitution from all runs from the first Sunday of Lent to Trinity its enemies, no matter what the perils might Letter from Londonn County.

[Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette] LEESBURG, VA., Feb. 25.-We were somewhat startled on Saturday when we received the news from Washington, and are, of course, more concerned as the plan develops itself but how can we help it, and therefore we await further events.

They are evidently on the wing, and being invisible, it is useless to speculate about their tendency. But having gone through one war, it is not my desire to see another, and, so far as I know the fighting men of the last war, they will very unwillingly become participants in the next, which some seem to believe is impending over us. I proceed to note county matters. I under-

stand there was a small meeting at Hamilton on Saturday, and some three or four thousand dollars pledged to the construction of the road west of Lecsburg; the meeting was adjourned to some time this week, I think Friday afternoon, at Lincoln. A quiet but enterprising citizen of that neighborhood told me to-day, that his people had really opened their eyes, not only to the importance of having the road made, but to the security of the investment offered them; and if you will just make a Loudoun man believe that his investment will pay, he will do his best for the object set before

If not, let the latter note the following facts and figures: I learn from good sources that the two firms of Jordan & Porut, and C. F. Weuner, who operate on the canal at Berlin, buy \$500, 000 worth of grain each year, and another firm that operates on the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad buys at least \$100,000 more, making in all pletion of the Chesapeake and Ohio railroad.

My informant estimates that at least \$200, 000 comes into Loudoun county at this point, although Berlin is only reached by a ferry boat. One firm at Leesburg in the last four months and that sent to Alexandria, &c., from our depot, would be as much more, or \$280,000 from Leesburg alone.

Taking the Point of Rocks and the various markets below it for twenty-seven miles, at \$100,000, and that sent from the stations east of us, and from the Valley between the Hills, which goes to the M., G. R. R., at \$300,000 more, and we have a total of grain sold from Loudoun county for the current year, at \$880, 000, in addition to that consumed at home, and that sent off in the shape of beef, mutton and to procure lands on tide-water, or along the pork.

I wonder if people would think me demented if I were to say that \$1,000,000 would be sold by the farmers of Loudoun in the current year? Of course a great deal goes out for lumber, fertilizers, agricultural implements, clothing and yesterday to examine some lands for sale betaxes, but some of it must stick!

An extension of the railroad to Mercier' and Wheatland will save 2 per cent., which is \$20,000, and yet our people stagger at taking there and along the York. He comes in a rea prefered loan of \$30,000 at 8 per cent. to secure this advantage to themselves. Will they ALIQUIS.

### Foreign News.

Dispatches have been received from Abys- favorable. sinia dated to the 6th instant. Gen. Napier telegraphed to Sir Stafford Northcote that Maj. Grant, sent as an envoy to the friendly chiefs, had been well received by Prince Kassai. The letter and presents forwarded in the ter to procure one or more locations for large name of her Majesty, Queen Victoria, were inst. The Judge, in his letter to the Governor, accepted and received in an open durbad, or council, which was attended by two thousand persons, chiefs and warriors. The inhabitants met by Major Grant were all friendly to the English. The women of Odeva cheered the military mission on its entry into the town.

The London papers of yesterday are generally engaged in discussing the changes in the British Ministry. D'Israeli's accession to the Premiership is welcomed or reprobated according to the political tenets of the different

In the Court of Chancery, yesterday, Lord Chelmsford announced his intention of resigning. Sir Hugh Cairns will be his successor.

Some of the Italian journals are commenting on the remarks alleged to have been made by Secretary Seward in regard to Garibaldi, but think the words must have been incorrectly represented. They hope that the U.S. Government has not been secretly using Garibaldi as an agent of dissensions, and trust that America desires only the unity of Italy.

A great meeting of the friends of the United States was held last night in St. James' Hall, London. John Bright presided. A number of prominent Liberals were present and on the platform. Mr. Bright made a powerful speech, arousing the sympathies of the audi ence for the American people by eloquent allusions to their conduct in the war of the rebel controversy, and pressed his views with an vast assemblage entirely with him. The meet ing was enthusiastic, and broke up with cheers for America.

The Paris Presse reports that the Italian Government is about to send Gen. Bixio to Vienna to negociate a treaty with Austria.

# Congress.

In the Senate, yesterday, the Committee on the Judiciary reported the House bill prohibiting any person convicted of robbery, murder, arson or forgery in foreign countries from entering the U. S. and authorizing the President to surrender to foreign Governments any such criminals. Some discussion ensued on the policy of allowing those who had served out their terms of imprisonment to enter the U. S. and the bill was sent back to the Committee on the Judiciary. The special committee anpointed to take into consideration the message of the House announcing the impeachment of President Johnson reported that the Senate | without reference to the action of the Supreme would take proper order thereon, and that due | Court. By preventing the War Department | notice would be given to the House. The resolution was adopted without debate.-The Reconstruction bill was taken up and, Senator Saulsbury spoke in opposition to its passage, and its further consideration was postponed until Monday next. The Committee on the Judiciary reported the bill denying the jurisdiction of the U. S. Courts in certain cases, with the amendments striking out the clause dismissing all cases now pending in the Supreme Court, which have grown out of the Reconstruction acts, and changing the "repeal" of for quo warrento. Whether the writ has been the various acts which authorized an appeal in served upon Mr. Stanton is not made public.' such cases to the Supreme Court to their pension," and providing that no law heretofore passed extending the judicial system of the U. S. over the ten "Rebel" States, shall be construed to recognize any State Government existing therein until Senators and Representatives from such States shall be admitted, or Congress shall recognize a State Government therein as valid. The bill providing for the by religious and charitable societies be donated to them. The House of Representatives, yesterday,

resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole, and debated the Appropriation bill. Subsequently the House concurred in the Senate amendments to the Supplementary Reconstruction bill, and afterwards passed the Indian Appropriation bill.

Sunday, that is, in the present year, from March the 1st to the 7th of June.

Its enemies, no matter what the perils might be, or how great the suffering is he should endure in Buffalo, N. Y., one hundred special patro in his efforts to the same.— Washington Star.

## VIRGINIA NEWS.

R. M. T. Hunter, in response to an invitation from the people of Essex, addressed them at their court house on Monday, the 17th inst. Mr. H. expressed himself as being hopeful for the future; counseled organization in conformity to the programme adopted by the late Con-servative Convention at Richmond; and urged that by argument, sound discretion, patience and endurance on our part, and a returning sense of reason at the North, and by preserving our self-respect, Virginia would ultimately resame her prestige.

Alexander H. H. Stuart, agent for the heirs of Michael Coiner, deceased, sold the Brooks farm containing 3112 acres, lying on both sides of South river, about one mile above Waynesborough, for \$14,000, bearing interest from date, and all payable within one year from day of sale. This is a few cents less than forty-five dollars per acre.

Great fears are entertained for the safety of the wheat crop, in the Clinch Valley. A suc cession of hard freezes long continued, without the protection of snow, have greatly damaged the prospect. Fields that promised a luxuriant yield in the fall are now sere and desolate.

The Loudoun Mirror says : "Yardley Taylor, a prominent member of the Society of Friends, and a well known citizen of this county, died at his residence, on Friday last, after a brief illness, of pneumonia.'

Hon. Henry A. Wise is announced to address the citizens of Augusta on the 7th of March on the importance to that county of a speedy com-

Last Thursday a genteel looking young man was arrested and examined by the Mayor, in Danville, on the charge of passing counterfeit

Rev. Whitfield Leftwich, an aged and honored minister of the Baptist church, died at his home in Bedford county on Friday last.

The travel through Lynchburg at present is less than it has been since the railroads commenced running.

#### Immigration from Holland and Switzerland to Virginia.

We learn from Gen. Imboden that last week Mr. Van Raalte arrived in Richmond and called upon him as Domestic Agent of Immigration, to obtain such information as would enable him canal, for the settlement of several hundred families from Holland, who are awaiting the report of Mr. Van Raalte to sail in the spring tween this city and Hampton. On his return he will go to West Point and examine the lands presentative capacity, and is much pleased with the prospect of locating thousands of his industrious countrymen on our low lands. The impressions thus far made upon him are very

Yesterday morning Capt. E. H. Plumacher, of the Swiss army, also arrived here on a similar errand. Capt. P. is the accredited commissioner of the Swiss Emigrant Society of Europe, and visits the U.S. in his official charac-Swiss colonies of several thousand each. He will proceed to-day to Danville to examine the Piedmont country towards the headwaters of the Dan. He desires to secure lands in a hilly country, adapted especially to the grape and fruit growing business, to the extent of from 80,000 to 100,000 acres as nearly in one body as practicable. On his return from the Dan he will go to Southwestern Virginia, and perhaps to Greenbrier and Nicholas counties, in search of grazing lands for other colonies of Swiss. When he landed in New York it was with the expectation of going towards the Rocky Mountains, on the line of the Union Pacific railway, where great inducements were offered him. But in New York, having his attention particularly called to Virginia by her | ties of the field, he was always assiduous in his agents of immigration there, he came as far as attention to hospital duty, to which he was as-Washington to confer with the diplomatic representatives of Central Europe, and found them so favorably impressed with the advantages offered by Virginia to respectable Euro peans that he at once came to Richmond with letters to Gen. Imboden, Gen. Mahone and others, and has been diligently collecting information since his arrival here for the benefit of those he represents. Col. Buford, President of the Danville railroad, has offered him free transportation for five hundred families, or more, over that road to their homes, if he determines to locate them on Dan River or elsewhere in

that part of the State. Mr. Egbert Hassard, editor of the London American, is now in New York. He writes Gen. Imbeden that he, too, will be in Richmend in a few days to collect information that will enable him, through his newspaper in London, to direct a large part of the agricultural emigration from Great Britain to Virginia. He also comes to inform himself fully in regard to our internal improvements.

These are all good signs.-Rich. Whig.

The Washington correspondent of the Balti-

more Sun says: "The unexpected termination of the criminal prosecution against Gene ral Thomas, by dismissal of the case and his discharge from custody, is the subject of comment to-night. Judge Cartter's apparent readiness to discharge the accused, so as to destroy the foundation for habeas corpus, is severely criticised by those who desire a decision of the legal points in the Supreme Court, prior to a final vote in the Senate, whilst the action is approved and chuckled over as a shrewd manouvre by those who favor the instant conviction of the President by vote of the Senate, imbroglio from reaching the Supreme Court in any form, the Senate will dispose of impeachment upon party considerations, after the manner of the House. As the matter now stands, the Supreme Court cannot get jurisdiction of the subject, except by a proceeding of some kind upon the civil side of the law. There are three modes suggested for bringing the con-

ARRIVAL OF IMMIGRANTS.—We hear of the arrival in our city of a number of foreigners, induced here by immigration agents. No provision has been made by these agents for of these men will give but poor encouragement to others to come here under the to others to come here under the present defective immigration organizations. This matcerned.—Fredericksburg Ledger.

troversy ultimately before the Supreme Court.

One of them was commenced to-day, by direc-

tion of the President, in the form of petition

# Gold.

NEW YORK, February 27 .- Gold to-day 1411

GOODS.—Just received at 88, King street, Alexandria, Va., an assortment of Table Cutlery, of beautiful styles, Plated Forks and Spoons of the best quality, which we will sell at a small advance. JOHN T. CREIGHTON & SON. jan 31

CLOAKS AND SACQUES. An assortment of beautiful Cloth Cloaks and An assortment of Sacques, just received by HARPER & BRO.

Bank of the Valley of Virginia.

Statement of Assets of the Bank of the Valley, in Virginia, seized and taken from H. M. Brent, late Trustee, by United States Deputy Marshal, and delivered to Receiver by the order of Notes of Virginia and Southern banks U. S. Compound Interest notes and

premium on same...... Loans on calls to note holders secured by \$896,611 of notes of the Bank ..... 179,522 20 Notes and Bills Discounted............. Bills and notes placed in the hands of 64,107 32 Att'ys. for collection by H.M. Brent 39,067 00 Protested drafts placed in suit by II. M. Brent....

The following were taken from E. M. Taylor, agent for H. M. Brent: Va. State Stock, old issue,...... \$5,400 00 Bills & notes discounted....\$51,686 94 Notes in suit...... 8,298 08

Bills in suitt...... 1,929 20 Corporation of Staunton notes...... Drafts on State Aud., Confed. States, State of Virginia Bonds, new issue, order for the same..... Augusta county, Virginia, bond,..... Corp. of Georgetown, D. C., notes..... Notes of Branch and Mother Bank of 5,000 00

Valley in Virginia, taken by Mr. Notes, Certificates and Drafts ...... 696,921 91 Keceived from John Echols on the gold receipt of E. M. Taylor since the same was seized......

H. G. FANT, Receiver. January 30th, 1868.

Statement of Account of Sales of the Assets of the Bank of the Valley in Virginia, by the Receiver, under the order of the Court. Sale \$5,400 Virginia Registered Stock Nett proceeds, as per voucher......... Sale of Virginia and Southern Bank Notes \$22,566 57 less \$5,300 57 on

hand and mostly unsaleable, as per California and mutilated Gold and Silver, \$569 92, nett proceeds, as per voucher..... Heretofore received in currency...... 87,164 20

Paid for Attorneys' fees, Agents and expenses, as per Vouchers with Re-Balance in Bank Jan. 30, 1868 ....

H. G. FANT, Receiver.

### OBITUARY. The Late Br. J. C. Broun.

In the city of New York, on the 2d November, 1867. Dr. J. CONWAY BROUN, of Clark county, Va., in the 38th year of his age. Not only for the comfort of a large circle of devoted friends, but because "the memory of the just is blessed," and "the righteous is in everlasting remembrance," we desire to record this brief memorial, of one of the best and purest men we ever knew. Dr. B. was a native of Middlebug, Loudour.

county, and was educated at the University of Va., where he graduated in the school of Medicine in 1852. He commenced the practice of Medicine in Alexandria, where he made friends, who still cherish his memory and often speak of him in terms of warm admiration. In 1859, he found that failing health required : change of residence, and he returned to his no tive village, and there continued in the successful practice of his profession until the breaking out of the war. Soon after coming to Middleourg, he made a public avowal of his religious convictions, which had long exerted a strong affuence over him, and was confirmed by Bishop Meade, in Emanuel church, in August, 1859. From the day of his confirmation, he gave himself heartily to the work of religion, taking charge of the Sunday-school, and engaging earnestly in every plan of usefulness that was open

Dr. B. was a true Virginian, and upon the invasion of his native State, which he loved so dearly, like many others of her nobles, sons, he entered the army as a private, in which capacity he served faithfully, until appointed Surgeon in the 8th Va. Regiment. It was by his exposure n this sphere of duty, particularly at the first battle of Manassas, that he laid the foundation of the disease from which he never recovered. But although no longer able to perform the dusigned, both at Charlottsville and Lynchburg, and many of his sick and wounded comrades will long remember the skill and faithfulness with which he attended them. After the war, he resided near Berryville, Clarke county, where he had married in 1859-but his health gradually declined until, at last, having tried the effects of a winter in Georgia without bene fit, he went to New York in October, 1867, fo medical advice. Here wi his a few weeks after his arrival, he was released from his sufferings and entered into rest. Although far from home, his last hours were soothed by the presence of several members of his family, with whom he left his dying testimony to the sufficiency of the Saviour in whom he believed. In answer to his prayers, he was relieved from bodily pain, and having sent parting messages to many absent friends, and commended his wife and children to "the God of the widow and the atherless," he was permitted calmly and sweetly, to fall "asleep in Jesus," "in the confidence of a certain faith, in the comfort of a reasonable, religious and holy hope, in favor with God, and

in perfect charity with the world." "Life's duty done-as sinks the clay, Light from its load, the spirit flies. While heaven and earth combined to say, How bless'd the righteous when he dies.'

Died, February 21st, at his residence. Fairfax county, FRANCIS L. MITCHELL, in the 37th

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and for sale by DUILDERS' HARDWARE, SHOVELS, Spades, Forks, Scoups, Trace Chains, Tacks, Sieves, &c.—Our stock of Goods is large and well assorted, and we are prepared to furnish goods of all qualities, at prices to suit the

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GARDEN SEEDS! GARDEN SEEDS!

GARDEN SEEDS! I make a specialty of Garden Seeds, and my stock this year will be large, varied and complete, with Foreign Seeds of my own importation, from the most reliable Seedmen of England and France, and American Seels, from the most experienced Seelsmen of this country. All of which I warrant fresh and

Zo Fruit and Ornamental Trees furnished to order. I also deal extensively in Clover and Timothy Seed, Orchard, Herd and Kentucky Blue Grass, &c., and during the season receive large

supplies, which I will sell at the lowest duffs 22 100 bushels prime Western and Penasylvania Clover Seed in store HERBERT BRYANT,

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